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For: **METHOD FOR SETTING THE SYSTEM  
PARAMETERS OF A SCANNING  
MICROSCOPE**

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the final office action dated September 13, 2006 received in the above-identified application, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

*Amendments not  
authorized for  
entry.*  
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